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WE ARE...MARSHALL®

The Newsletter for Marshall University

October 9, 2019

Marshall signs agreement with South Korean university



Marshall University and [Handong Global University](#) in South Korea have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), pledging to cooperate on programs of mutual consent and benefit.

The MOU was signed Oct. 1 in Pohang, South Korea, where President Gilbert, several senior members of his leadership team, and West Virginia state government and private industry officials visited to cultivate associations ranging from education to economic development.

“I’m very pleased we were able to negotiate this agreement with our friends at Handong Global University,” Gilbert said. “Moving forward, we will be discussing specific opportunities for mutual research activities, seminars, coordination with industry, and student and faculty exchanges. Handong Global University has a beautiful campus with world-class facilities. It is obvious that the leadership of the university is doing an outstanding job to make it a more relevant and vibrant university as it expands its research programs and reaches out to other institutions around the world.”

In addition to meeting with Handong Global University, Marshall representatives met with Nagoya Institute of Technology in Nagoya, Japan, and two other universities in Korea.

Marshall officials, along with representatives from the West Virginia Department of Commerce and Brad Hall, vice president of Appalachian Power, participated in the aerospace conference, Aeromart, in Nagoya. Industry visits also included Toyota and Mitsubishi Heavy Industries in Japan and LG Chemical and Hyundai Motors in South Korea.

Photo: President Gilbert (left center) and Dr. Soon Heung Chang, with Handong Global University, and others pose for a photo after the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding agreeing to partner on a variety of mutually accepted initiatives. The signing ceremony was in Pohang, South Korea, on Oct. 1.

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

MARSHALL UNIVERSITY
PRESENTS

JAZZ ENSEMBLE I IN CONCERT

**CELEBRATING 80
YEARS OF BLUE NOTE RECORDS**

OCTOBER 9TH | 7:30 P.M. | SMITH RECITAL HALL



For more information, contact Jeff Wolfe, director, at wolfe9@marshall.edu.
Sponsored by the School of Music in the College of Arts and Media.

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Selena
MOVIE NIGHT
Wednesday, October 9
7 p.m. * Twin Towers

Sponsored by the Intercultural Hispanic Organization, Office of Intercultural and Student Affairs, Housing and Residence Life and INTO Marshall



John Marshall Leadership Fellows program announces Spring 2020 cohort

The [John Marshall Leadership Fellows program \(JMLF\)](#), under the sponsorship of and administered by the university's Center for Teaching and Learning, has announced its Spring 2020 cohort. Fifty-two applications were received for the spring program, including 18 faculty members and 34 staff. The following individuals have been accepted into the program:

Name	Department – College
Dr. Alfred Akinsete	Mathematics – College of Science
Dr. Omar Attarabeen	School of Pharmacy
Ms. Mary Chapman	Human Resources – Executive Affairs
Prof. John Colclough	Theatre – College of Arts and Media
Ms. Karen Doss	School of Pharmacy
Mr. Justin Hawthorne	Purchasing
Dr. Arslan Iqbal	School of Medicine
Mr. Joseph Justice	Physical Plant
Dr. Susan Lanham	Accountancy/Legal Environment – Lewis College of Business
Dr. Candace Layne	Counseling – Student Affairs
Ms. Becky Lusher	Facilities and Planning – Executive Affairs
Ms. Lisa Martin	Student Conduct – Student Affairs
Mr. Christopher McComas	University Communications
Mr. Glen Midkiff	Lewis College of Business
Dr. Suzanne Strait	Biological Sciences – College of Science
Ms. LeKesha Taylor	Housing and Residence Life
Dr. Jill Underhill	Communication Studies – College of Liberal Arts
Dr. Eugenia Webb-Damron	Leadership Studies – College of Education and Professional Development
Ms. Amy White	Sustainability – Environmental Health and Safety
Dr. Debra Young	Social Work – College of Health Professions

For further information on the John Marshall Leadership Fellows program, visit <https://www.marshall.edu/leadership-fellows/>.

Marshall Theatre to present 'Silent Sky'



Marshall Theatre will present "Silent Sky," a play by Lauren Gunderson about Henrietta Leavitt's experiences at the Harvard Observatory in the early 1900s, beginning Wednesday,

Oct. 9, and continuing through Saturday, Oct. 12, nightly at 7:30 p.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse on the Huntington campus.

When Leavitt begins work at the Harvard Observatory in the early 1900s, she isn't allowed to touch a telescope or express an original idea. Instead, she joins a group of women "computers," charting the stars for a renowned astronomer who calculates projects in "girl hours" and has no time for the women's probing theories. As Henrietta, in her free time, attempts to measure the light and distance of stars, she must also take measure of her life on Earth, trying to balance her dedication to science with family obligations and the possibility of love. The true story of Leavitt, a 19th-century astronomer, explores a woman's place in society during a time of immense scientific discoveries, when women's ideas were dismissed until men claimed credit for them. Social progress, like scientific progress, can be hard to see when one is trapped among earthly complications; Leavitt and her female peers believe in both, and their dedication changed the way we understand both the heavens and Earth.

A planetarium presentation will begin at 6:00 p.m. nightly, hosted by Dr. Jon Saken. At 6:30 p.m., Coffee and Conversation will offer the presentations listed on the performance nights below:

- Wednesday Oct. 9
Jon Saken and Leah Turley
“Acting Out Science”
- Thursday Oct. 10
Jon Saken and Rae Stanley
“The Henrietta Resonance”
- Friday, Oct. 11
Jon Saken
“Henrietta’s History”
- Saturday, Oct. 12
Director Leah Turley, Scenic Designer Mike Murphy, and Projection Designer Michael Osbourne
“Theatre Isn’t Real”

Tickets are \$20 for regular adult tickets and \$15 for Marshall University faculty and staff. Marshall University students admitted with a valid I.D. For further information, call the box office at 304-696-2787.

Marshall to hold annual health and wellness fair for employees and students

PRESENTED BY  Marshall Health

Health and Wellness Fair

Sponsored by Marshall Health, Office of Human Resources and Student Affairs

Thursday, October 10, 2019 | 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Don Morris Room, Memorial Student Center

Open to all faculty, staff, alumni and students. Please bring Marshall ID Card.
Visit all of our booths for a chance to win prizes!

Vendor Registration Form: <https://tinyurl.com/MU-HealthFair>

Contact gill54@marshall.edu to learn more

Marshall University and Marshall Health will sponsor its annual Health and Wellness Fair from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 10, in the Memorial Student Center's Don Morris Room. The event is free and open to all students, faculty, staff and alumni with free health screenings provided by the following:

- Flu shots by Marshall Pharmacy and Marshall Family Medicine (insurance card required)
- Hearing screenings by the Marshall University Speech and Hearing Center
- Blood pressure screenings by Marshall Health Cardiology
- Blood glucose screenings by Marshall Internal Medicine's Bruce Chertow Diabetes Center
- Handwashing education by Marshall University School of Nursing
- Functional movement screenings by Marshall University School of Physical Therapy
- Anxiety, PTSD and Prevalence of Trauma Affecting Health screenings by the Marshall University Suicide Prevention Education Across Campus (MU-SPEAC)
- Early detection and self-mammogram checks by the breast oncology unit at the Edwards Comprehensive Cancer Center

The annual health fair is one way the university can promote a healthy lifestyle for everyone in the Tri-State area, according to Bruce Felder, director of human resources for Marshall University.

“Beyond free health screenings for our faculty, staff, students and community members, participants have access to the various Marshall Health and university departments that are dedicated to health and wellness,” Felder said. “This is an excellent opportunity to ask questions and learn more about services relevant to your health and wellness goals.”

Other participants for the health and wellness fair include:

- Marshall Dentistry
- Marshall Dermatology
- Marshall OB/GYN
- Marshall Orthopedics
- Marshall Health Chronic Care Management program
- Marshall University Department of Health Science
- Marshall University Wellness Center
- Marshall University Counseling Center
- Marshall University Interprofessional Student Health Organization
- Marshall University Rec Center
- Healthy Hands Cooking
- Barboursville Parks and Recreation
- The Epilepsy Foundation of West Virginia
- Triad Tech Massage

Presenting sponsor for the event is Marshall Health, with additional sponsorships provided by the university’s Office of Human Resources and Division of Student Affairs.

To learn more about the event, contact Megan Archer by phone at 304-696-3916 or by e-mail at archer15@marshall.edu.



STUDY ABROAD FAIR

OCT. 10, 2019
10 A.M. - 2 P.M.
Memorial Student Center Plaza

Stop by to talk with program representatives to learn more about our many Study Abroad programs in countries like France, Australia, Japan, Spain, and many more!

TO STUDY ABROAD
 students must have completed their freshman year and have a 2.5 GPA.

For more information, contact the Office of Study Abroad
marshall.edu/study-abroad

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Marshall University
SCHOOL OF MUSIC
 PRESENTS

La trágédie de Carmen

CLASSIC OPERA

FRIDAY, OCT. 11 • 7:30 P.M.
Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church

A one-hour edition of this classic opera will be presented by **Dr. Alexander Lee** and **Dr. Carline Waugh** from the School of Music at Marshall University, and guest artists **Young-Kwang Yoo** and **Leah Heater**

Sara Lee, piano | Maira Urbano, flute | Steven Schumann, cello

Event is free and open to the public.







Leah Heater
Carmen

Alexander Lee
Don José

Carline Waugh
Micaela

Young-Kwang Yoo
Escamillo

Sponsored by the School of Music and funded in part by the Joan C. Edwards Distinguished Professors in the Arts Endowment with support from the College of Arts and Media, Marshall University.

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School of Medicine to host homecoming reunion for medical alumni



The Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine will welcome alumni and their families back to Huntington for its 33rd annual homecoming celebration Oct. 11-12.

Weekend festivities kick off Friday, Oct. 11, at the Erma Ora Byrd Clinical Center with:

- Noon: Student-Alumni Networking Lunch
- 1:15 p.m.: Panel discussion on “The Path to Becoming a Physician” with **Karen E. Clark-Gerbo, M.D.** ('89), chief and medical director of care management and utilization review and professor of medicine at West Virginia University School of Medicine; **Robert A. Hess, M.D.** ('84), founding member/co-owner/president/chief medical officer of OVP Health; Kathy L. Saber, M.D. ('94), primary care physician at St. Mary's Family Care Center; and Susan A. Terry, M.D. ('84), internist at University of Utah Health Care Community Physician Group.
- 2:15 p.m.: Lecture on “**The Drug Development Process: Career Opportunities in the Pharmaceutical Industry**” with **Pamela A. Cyrus, M.D.** ('89), vice president/head of US Medical for Bayer HealthCare Pharmaceuticals LLC
- 3:15 p.m.: Lecture on the “History of Joint Replacement” with **Clark D. Adkins, M.D.** ('89), board-certified orthopedic surgeon with West Virginia OrthoNeuro

That evening, the School of Medicine will host a reception at 6 p.m. followed by its annual reunion banquet at 7 p.m. in the John Marshall Room at the Marshall Memorial Student Center. The banquet will celebrate the classes of 1984, 1989, 1994, 1999, 2004, 2009 and 2014 and present the 2019 Distinguished Alumnus Award to Hess.

“Dr. Hess’ stellar career as the founding member, co-owner and president/chief medical officer of OVP Health displays his talents and leadership,” said Linda S. Holmes, director of development & alumni affairs at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine. “Along with his loyalty and support of the School of Medicine over the years, his medical and business acumen make him the perfect recipient of this year’s distinguished alumnus award. He is truly a Son of Marshall.”

The weekend concludes on Saturday, Oct. 12, with a tailgate party in the parking lot between Marshall Recreation Center and Sorrell Building on 20th Street, across from the West Lot and Joan C. Edwards Stadium that is open to all School of Medicine alumni, family and friends from 12:30 to 2 p.m., and the home football game against Old Dominion University at 2:30 p.m.

Please note that School of Medicine homecoming dates differ from the university’s homecoming activities.

Educational sessions are open to the public. Registration is encouraged. For more information, visit jcesom.marshall.edu/homecoming or contact Holmes at 304-691-1711 or holmes@marshall.edu.

Photo: Dr. Robert Hess will receive the Distinguished Alumnus Award from the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine this weekend.

Marshall, Glenville State partner to offer professional degree



Marshall University has partnered with Glenville State College to offer students a program of study leading to a Professional Master of Science in Athletic Training (PMSAT) degree. The agreement combines an undergraduate course of study at Glenville State with students later being accepted into the College of Health Professions at Marshall University.

Each year, Marshall University will reserve three seats for prospective PMSAT students attending Glenville State. To apply for admission to the program, students

enrolled at Glenville State must have an undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or higher and submit a transcript, resume, complete an interview and provide at least two letters of recommendation as outlined in Marshall University's Graduate Catalog. Applicants who score 70 or higher on the Marshall University PMSAT Applicant Admission Assessment Form will be admitted to those seats based on their score ranking. Additional applicants may be admitted depending upon overall demand for the application year.

Students are also required to complete specific courses with a grade of "C" or better in order to meet the requirements of the program. If the required courses are not offered at Glenville State, the student will complete the courses at Marshall University.

"The new collaboration allows for students to potentially return to their initial institution for clinical opportunities. Glenville State has fantastic athletic facilities, which will give our students the chance to learn and work in a good environment and enhance their sports medicine care to the student-athletes. Our hope is this will enhance the athletic training profession in the state and hopefully keep students in the state after they graduate," said Dr. Zach Garrett, graduate program director for Marshall University's Department of Athletic Training.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for Glenville State College students in our exercise science and biological science-related programs who are interested in careers associated with athletic training. Marshall University is a leader in higher education and a natural choice for Glenville State College students. Our Marshall colleagues have worked very hard at making the transition for our students to MU as seamless as possible," said Dr. Gary Morris, Glenville State College's interim provost.

Students have two options for admission to the program.

Option one is for students who have earned a bachelor's degree from Glenville State or will earn a bachelor's degree by the end of the academic year. These students may apply for admission to the program and, once admitted, begin their PMSAT coursework.

Option two is for students who have complete ninety or more credit hours from Glenville State. These students may apply for admission to the program and, once admitted, complete their PMSAT degree, and return to Glenville State to complete a bachelor's degree.

The Marshall University Professional Master of Science in Athletic Training Program is fully accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education. The curriculum prepares students to take the national Board of Certification Exam before entering their professional career, offering graduates opportunities to practice in a variety of clinical settings such as high schools, colleges, and professional athletics, outpatient clinics, industrial rehabilitation sites, physician practices, the performing arts, safety settings and higher education.

“As we developed the Professional Master of Science in Athletic Training, we knew there would be an opportunity to hopefully create a unique curriculum and form articulation agreements with a variety of institutions. These agreements allow students to complete an undergraduate and graduate degree in a total of five years, and they will receive diplomas from both institutions,” Garrett added.

For more information about the PMSAT program from Glenville State College, contact the Office of the Registrar by e-mail at registrar@glenville.edu or by phone at 304-462-6120. For more information at Marshall University, contact Garrett by calling 304-696-2924 or by e-mailing garrett46@marshall.edu.

Photo: Marshall University has partnered with Glenville State College to offer students a program of study leading to a Professional Master of Science in Athletic Training (PMSAT) degree. The agreement combines an undergraduate course of study at Glenville State with students later being accepted into the College of Health Professions at Marshall University.

Faculty research grant program accepting applications

The John Marshall University Scholars Award program is now accepting proposals for the summer 2020 term.

The program provides Marshall faculty members with an opportunity to develop a significant creative or scholarly output. The awards provide a \$6,500 stipend.

Nine awards will be made—one for each academic college and one for the libraries.

Eligibility requirements:

- Applicants must be full-time, probationary tenure-track or tenured faculty members or librarians;
- Faculty recipients are expected to devote the full period of the award to the proposed project. Recipients cannot teach or accept overload assignments during the award period.
- Faculty members are eligible for only one award—academic year or summer—within a three-year period.

The proposed project can involve research, design, development, field study, creative work or performance.

The project must be structured so the awardee can produce creative or scholarly output (e.g. a presentation, a paper ready for publication submission, exhibit, or performance) at the end of the award period.

Complete applications must be received by 5 p.m. on Oct. 25, 2019. Full details of the application format, submission requirements and the evaluation process are available [here](#).

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SHARE A PHOTO ON TWITTER OR INSTAGRAM SHOWING YOUR
MARSHALL SPIRIT FOR A CHANCE TO WIN!

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#HerdHomecoming

*Both hashtags are required for entry.

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Music Alive

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WEDNESDAY, OCT 9 | 4:00 PM

Woodlands Retirement Community

THURSDAY, OCT 10 | 12:00 PM

First Presbyterian Church



FRANCESCO MASTROMATTEO

Professor of Chamber Music at the Conservatory "U. Giordano" in Foggia, Italy
MU College of Arts & Media 2019 Edwards Distinguished Professor

Assisted by

Dr. Johan Botes, Piano | Dr. Şölen Dikener, Cello

Music by

J.S.Bach, Taglietti, Couperin, Cassado, Mendelssohn, Rachmaninov and Bizet/Orr

Directed by

Dr. Şölen Dikener, Dale Capehart, Molly Watson

Events are free and open to public

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First Presbyterian Church & Woodlands Chamber Series





Marshall to test MU Alert system Oct. 15

SIGN UP BEFORE THE CAMPUS-WIDE TEST • TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2019

MU ALERT

MUAlert

Used solely for the purpose of alerting the Marshall University community in an emergency.

- Situations threatening the safety and security of our campuses
- Campus closings due to emergency situations including inclement weather

How to Sign Up

1. Go to myMU and log in
2. Click the on the QuickLink menu

3. Enter/Update your contact information
4. Click 'Save' to finish registration

www.marshall.edu/emergency/mualert

A test of the MU Alert emergency messaging system will be conducted Tuesday, Oct. 15.

Marshall community members who are subscribed to MU Alert are asked to be sure that they have received the message that morning. If a message has not been received by noon, a subscriber should review and update his or her contact information in the myMU/MU Alert Web interface. If this contact information was already correct, but a message was still not received, then an e-mail should be sent to mualert@marshall.edu with details on which contact method (text, e-mail, voice) did not work as expected.

The most recent test of the system occurred Jan. 31, 2019.

Members of the immediate Marshall community (students, faculty and staff) who would like to subscribe or update their information for this test are asked to visit www.marshall.edu/MyMU, log in, click on the MU Alert triangle and complete their subscription or update by 5 p.m. Monday, Oct. 14.

The MU Alert system, which is operated by Marshall and delivered through the Blackboard Connect™ service, allows Marshall students, faculty and staff to provide several methods for the university to use when making emergency contacts. Most common are text messages, cell phone calls and e-mail.

MU Alert is used solely for the purpose of alerting the Marshall University community in an emergency. Emergency notifications are limited to those concerning urgent health and safety concerns for Marshall University students, faculty or staff; or disruption of normal university functions due to weather, crime or other concerns. Alerts are issued to increase awareness about a criminal incident to promote safety and aid in the prevention of similar crimes.

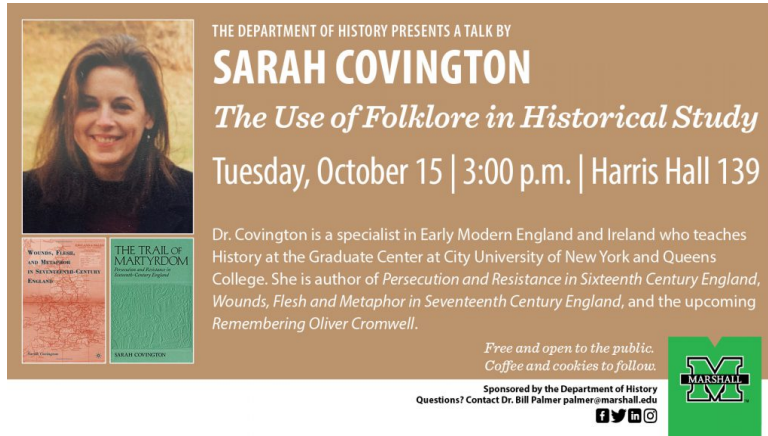
Marshall University officials determine if and when alerts related to criminal incidents are issued based on a number of factors, including when information becomes known. Alerts are sent when a serious crime occurs that demonstrates an ongoing threat to the campus community. The Marshall University Police Department reviews the known details of each reported criminal incident on a case-by-case basis with the safety of the campus community in mind.

The following criteria are considered before issuing an MUAAlert regarding a criminal incident:

- Did a crime occur?
- Did the crime occur on campus property or on other Clery reportable property? (More information about Clery reporting geographical areas is available in the university's Annual Security and Fire Safety Report.)
- Is the crime a Clery reportable crime? (More information about Clery reporting is available in the university's Annual Security and Fire Safety Report.)
- Is there a serious or continuing threat to the campus community?

More information about the MU Alert system is available at www.marshall.edu/emergency/mualert.

Marshall to host presentation by Irish historian Sarah Covington



THE DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY PRESENTS A TALK BY
SARAH COVINGTON
The Use of Folklore in Historical Study
Tuesday, October 15 | 3:00 p.m. | Harris Hall 139

Dr. Covington is a specialist in Early Modern England and Ireland who teaches History at the Graduate Center at City University of New York and Queens College. She is author of *Persecution and Resistance in Sixteenth Century England*, *Wounds, Flesh and Metaphor in Seventeenth Century England*, and the upcoming *Remembering Oliver Cromwell*.

Free and open to the public.
Coffee and cookies to follow.

Sponsored by the Department of History
Questions? Contact Dr. Bill Palmer palmer@marshall.edu

Facebook Twitter Instagram

The Marshall University Department of History will present a lecture by Irish historian Dr. Sarah Covington at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 15, in Room 134 of Harris Hall on Marshall's Huntington campus. She will speak on "The Use of Folklore in Historical Studies." The event is free and open to all, and will be followed by a Q&A and light refreshments.

"Folklore is an aspect of our rich cultural heritage that we are all familiar with in West Virginia," said Dr. Greta Rensenbrink, chair of Marshall's Department of History. "The stories handed down in families and communities tell us something about who we are and what we have inherited. But how do professional historians approach folklore as a source for understanding the past? What does folklore offer as a window into the past? Dr. Covington will explore these issues in her talk."

Covington teaches at the City University of New York, where she is a professor of history at the Graduate Center and Queens College, and director of the Irish Studies program at Queens College and the M.A. program in biography and memoir at the Graduate Center. Her work focuses on English and Irish history.

Her forthcoming book, *Remembering Oliver Cromwell in Ireland*, explores the social memory of this most hated enemy in the Irish historical, literary and folkloric imagination over three centuries. It will be published by Oxford University Press at the beginning of next year.

Covington also has co-edited *Early Modern Ireland: New Sources, Methods and Perspectives* (Routledge, 2018), with Vincent Carey and Valerie McGowan-Doyle. Other publications include *The Trail of Martyrdom: Persecution and Resistance in Sixteenth-Century England* (University of Notre Dame Press, 2004); and *Wounds, Flesh, and Metaphor in Seventeenth-Century England* (Palgrave-MacMillan, 2009).

The event is sponsored by the Department of History in the College of Liberal Arts at Marshall University.

SNACK CHATS

with Libraries and Online Learning

Tuesday, October 15 • 1 pm
Drinko Library 138

This month's drop-in workshop covers **LinkedIn Learning**

Monthly snack chat events are open to faculty, staff and students.

Refreshments
will be provided.



KAKEHASHI PROJECT

Trip to Japan

MARCH 21-29, 2020 (TOKYO AND A LOCAL CITY)

INFORMATION SESSION

OCT. 15TH | TUE. 3:00-4:00 | SMITH HALL 413

This is a fully-funded spring break study tour led by MU faculty, **Dr. Anderson** and **Dr. Rivas** in the **Japanese Program**. Preference to declared major and minors of Japanese, International Affairs, International Business, Asian Studies and students in Honors College.

APPLICATION DEADLINE
NOV. 12TH | TUE. | 5:00PM



Contact: Dept. of Modern Languages, Natsuki Anderson andersonn@marshall.edu
www.marshall.edu



UNITED WAY WORKPLACE CAMPAIGN Kick-Off Celebration

This FREE event is
open to all Marshall
faculty and staff.

Thursday, October 17, 2019
4:30 to 6 p.m. | Big Green Room
at Joan C. Edwards Stadium

Join us for cocktails, appetizers and exciting prizes while learning
more about how United Way of the River Cities
gives back to our community.



Contact holland23@marshall.edu to learn more.
www.marshall.edu



Sweet Times Memory Café

A Place to Reminisce & Rejuvenate

Drop in for refreshments, relaxation, art and music in a supportive setting for individuals with dementia and their caregivers

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18 / 2 - 4 P.M.

Woodlands Retirement Community, 1 Bradley Foster Drive, Huntington

INFO: 304-691-1681



Supported by a grant from the Bernard McDonough Foundation


Marshall Health

Join Marshall University math professors for an ACT cram session!

Marshall professors will offer math boot camp preparation course the weekend before the next ACT test. These are geared for high school students whose ACT scores are in the range of 19 and above. **They can:** identify strengths and weaknesses, build math skills, practice with challenging games, and practice pacing for one question per minute.

Weekend sessions • 1:00-4:30 • Drinko Library, Room 349
Oct 19-20 • Dec 7-8 • Feb 1-2 • March 28-29 • June 6-7

Cost: \$145 for weekend session

Scholarships available, 10% Marshall Employee Dependent Discount

To register or for more information: WVScienceAdventures.org



Sponsored by Marshall University College of Science, West Virginia Science Adventures
www.marshall.edu



Marshall University
SCHOOL OF MUSIC
PRESENTS

H.I.P. TRIO

STEPHEN LAWSON, HORN | RICHARD KRAYCHAK, OBOE | KAY LAWSON, BASSOON

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20 • 3:00 PM

Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church
513 10th St., Huntington

H.I.P. Trio will perform works by Karl Graun, Carl Stamitz, Anton Reicha, and Joseph Fiala, taking on the challenge of performing music as it was heard in the time of these composers.

Event is free and open to the public.



Sponsored by the School of Music and the College of Arts and Media.





Marshall University
SCHOOL OF MUSIC

MU sic Mondays 2019 Series

JOIN **VICKI STROEHER** FOR A LECTURE

Dreams, Witches, and a Macabre Obsession: **BERLIOZ'S SYMPHONIE FANTASTIQUE**

Monday, Oct. 21 | 6:30 pm
at the Cellar Door, 905 3rd Ave.

Seating is limited. Participants are invited to arrive early to enjoy conversation and refreshments.

A \$10 donation is requested for admission, payable at the door.
Checks should be made payable to Marshall University.
All proceeds will go to support the School of Music.

**MARSHALL UNIVERSITY
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A MARSHALL ID.



For more information about MU sic Mondays, call the **School of Music** at 304-696-3117.



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the
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at Marshall University

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22
7:00 PM**

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featuring Ojibwe author

DAVID TREUER

EVENT IS FREE AND OPEN TO PUBLIC

Sponsored by the West Virginia Humanities Council, the John Deaver Drinko Academy, the Office of the President, the College of Liberal Arts, the Honors College, the President's Commission on Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion, the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, the Department of History, the Department of English, University Libraries, and the Marshall University Native American Student Organization.

West Virginia
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For more information, contact Cody Lumpkin at lumpkinb@marshall.edu
or Wendi Kozma at kozma@marshall.edu.



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**SEX, DRUGS,
DISASTERS, EXILES**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

6:00 - 8:00 PM

FAT PATTY'S | 1935 3RD AVE.



Dr. Damien Arthur

ARTHUR



Dr. Rachael Peckham

PECKHAM



Dr. Zeldeth Rivas

RIVAS



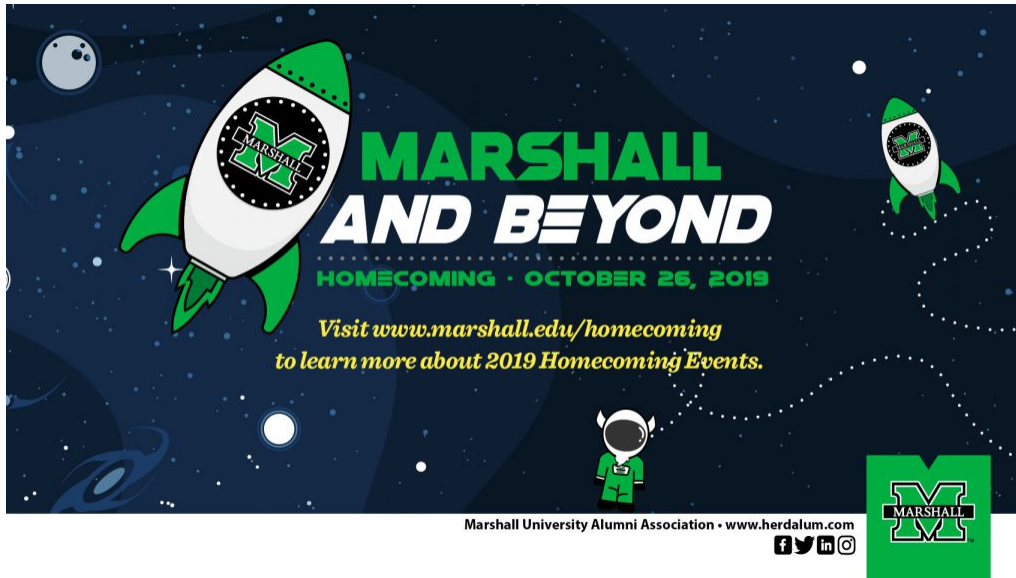
Dr. Chris White

WHITE

Sponsored by College of Liberal Arts and Mike McCarthy
For more information, contact Carissa at carissa.mcdonald@marshall.edu



Alumni Association announces Homecoming office decorating contest



Employees of each university office are asked to decorate their offices for Homecoming Week. There will be prizes offered in 3 categories in each of two divisions, and 2 grand prizes. Judging of office decorations will begin on Thursday, Oct.

24, at 9 a.m. Judging order will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

“As hard as it is to believe, Homecoming is only two weeks away and that can only mean one thing – it’s time for office decorating!” said Larry Crum, associate director of alumni events and programs. “To past, current and potential participants of our Office Judging competition, the Office of Alumni Relations would like to once again extend an invitation to join us in the fun when judging takes place on Thursday, Oct. 24, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. As usual, we will be joined by members of the MUAA national board and other special guests who will travel to your offices – both on and off campus – to take part in the judging. This is always a favorite event on the calendars of our board members and many others. It is also a great opportunity to have a little fun and enhance Homecoming here on the Huntington campus.”

This year’s theme is “Marshall and Beyond,” celebrating the past, present and future of Marshall University. The judges will be looking for a representation of Marshall then and now, as well as a creative vision of our future. Our university is rising in prestige and recognition among our peer institutions across the country. The theme “Marshall and Beyond” was chosen to inspire the Marshall community to think “beyond” where we are today and envision the Marshall of tomorrow. In addition, we have chosen two co-grand marshals who help inspire this theme, retired NASA engineers Bob Lang and Gary Ray.

Judging for the office decorating contest will be divided into two divisions: small office (up to 7 employees) and large office (8 or more employees). If more than one office enters as a group, it will be judged in the large office division. There will be a grand prize trophy for the best overall large and small offices.”

If you have not already done so, you can sign up for the contest by [CLICKING HERE](#) or by calling Larry Crum in the Office of Alumni Relations at (304) 696-3134. You can also forward this message to any office you feel might be interested in participating. Judging will be done in three categories, plus an online fan vote, with prizes in each category in addition to an overall winner in the small office and large office categories taking home with the coveted Marco Trophy. For information about Homecoming 2019 visit www.herdalum.com/homecoming19 or contact the alumni office at alumni@marshall.edu.

New to the competition, an online fan vote will be used to determine the Most Popular office. The online fan vote will be live Thursday, Oct. 24, beginning at 6 p.m. and will be open until Friday at 10 a.m. on the Marshall University Alumni Association Facebook and Twitter pages. We encourage you to share the posts, like, comment and retweet. The office with the most likes, comments and retweets will win the category.



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THE NUTS AND BOLTS OF TREATING OPIOID USE DISORDER

Thursday, October 24th | 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. | Drinko Library 402

This workshop is geared toward nurse practitioners and physician assistants who would like to work with individuals with opioid use disorder, but would like more support.

OFFICE-BASED ADDICTION TREATMENT: THE ESSENTIALS

Friday, October 25th | 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 | Drinko Library 402

This workshop is geared toward any health care professional who would like more information on opioid use disorders and would like to become more involved.

**Hosted by Nurse Practitioners Kristin Wason of Boston Medical Center
and Vanessa L. Ryan of South End Community Health Center**

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JOHN M. CONLEY, JD, PHD
OCT. 25 | NOON | DRINKO LIBRARY, ROOM 402

Dr. Conley will discuss governance efforts related to the emerging genome editing technologies, exploring “hard law” regulatory approaches, both national and international, versus “soft” self-regulatory approaches that are based in traditional notions of scientific professionalism.

Light lunch will be served.
All are welcome.

Sponsored by the Department of Sociology & Anthropology and Biomedical Sciences.





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Friday, October 25
7:30 p.m.
Smith Recital Hall

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Sponsored by the School of Music in the College of Arts and Media





Homecoming returns to Marshall University the week of October 20-26 as the Thundering Herd battles Western Kentucky University during the annual Homecoming game on Saturday, October 26 at 2:30 p.m.

You won't want to miss this opportunity to join the Marshall campus and Huntington community in celebration of the Thundering Herd and Homecoming 2019! The Marshall University [Alumni Association](#), Student Government Association, Office of Student Activities, Marshall University Black Alumni Association and Office of Intercultural Affairs are planning multiple events. During Homecoming, there is truly something for everyone.

Celebrate with our Marshall Family during the annual Homecoming Parade, party like a king during the Alumni Tailgate, run/walk to support Marshall during the Homecoming 5K, celebrate with the entire campus during the Picnic on the Plaza and much more!

[#HerdHomecoming](#)



Richard Casto awarded Yingling Scholarship at Pharmacy Month Celebration



Richard Casto of Huntington was awarded the D. Joanne and F. Gordon Yingling Scholarship at a pharmacy school luncheon celebrating American Pharmacists Month this October. Casto is the first recipient of this scholarship, which was one of two established in 2018 by Dr. Kevin W. and Mrs. Mary Alice Yingling.

Kevin W. Yingling, R.Ph., M.D., is a 1985 graduate of the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, former chair of the department of internal medicine, founding dean of the School of Pharmacy and a practicing physician with Marshall Health. He is also the current chair of the Cabell Huntington Hospital board of directors. Mary Alice Nash Yingling, M.A., is a lifelong Cabell County resident and a 1981 graduate of Marshall University with a Master of Arts in Speech and Language Pathology.

The scholarship awarded to Casto was created for first-year students at the [Marshall University School of Pharmacy](#). First preference is given to given to students from Cabell County, West Virginia. Second preference is given to students from West Virginia. The award is renewable pending normal academic progress.

The scholarship award presentation was preceded by a pharmacy career expo for students at the Marshall University Memorial Student Center. It was followed by a luncheon and keynote speaker Joseph T. DiPiro, Pharm.D., author of "Pharmacotherapy: A Pathophysiologic Approach."

"We were honored to be included in the school's pharmacy month celebration and meet Mr. Casto," said Kevin Yingling.

"It is our privilege to provide scholarships supporting local health sciences students," said Mary Alice Yingling.

The other scholarship established by the Yinglings in 2018 is the A. "Buzz" Nash Jr. and Norma Nash Scholarship for first-year medical students.

Alumna Lorie Wyant establishes scholarship for broadcast journalism students



Lorie Wyant, an alumna of the W. Page Pitt School of Journalism and Mass Communications (SOJMC), has established the Lorie Wyant Scholarship for promising broadcast journalists through a specific bequest.

The scholarship will support full-time undergraduate students who are juniors or seniors in the School of Journalism and Mass Communications within the university's College of Arts and Media. Recipients must be in good academic standing with a 3.5 GPA or higher.

When asked why she decided to give back to Marshall students, Wyant said she wanted to show her gratitude for the education and support she received as a student.

"I feel that the education I received at Marshall prepared me for life, and for that, I am very grateful. I received an academic tuition waiver all four years, and that was a huge help to me. When my daughter attended, she received a donor-funded scholarship all four years, allowing her to graduate with minimal student-loan debt. We both appreciate the scholarship assistance we received, so I wanted to pay that forward. I chose to help students who exemplify the guiding principles of good journalism, so they can make a difference. As Marshall graduates, I hope they go out and improve the journalistic integrity of the broadcast news operations where they work," Wyant said.

Wyant had advice for current students, who may face tough challenges in their academic careers. She says it doesn't get easier once you graduate, but the most important thing is to view failure as an opportunity.

"You will fail. You will fall short of expectations. However, learn to cope with that and learn from it. Finding the resulting opportunity is an important skill in college and in life. Be resilient!"

Preference will be given to students with a major or an emphasis in broadcast journalism and whose work exemplifies the core principles of journalism: truth; accuracy and completeness; independence and objectivity; fairness and impartiality; and humanity and accountability as identified by the faculty of the SOJMC.

To learn about available scholarships in the SOJMC, please contact Janet Dooley, director of the SOJMC and associate dean of the College of Arts and Media, by phone at 304-696-2734 or by e-mail at dooley@marshall.edu.

Open to all students, faculty and alumni.



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Students who have taken JMC classes can submit works to be exhibited in the Birke Art Gallery in the Spring of 2020.

WORKS CAN INCLUDE:

PHOTOGRAPHY

VIDEOS/FILMS

PHOTO ESSAYS

OTHER WORKS THAT REFLECT THE THEME

Students can submit 3-5 pieces, with a brief statement of how the work fits the theme of Aesthetic Journalism.

For more information about how to submit works, contact:
Tijah Bumgarner, Assistant Professor



Marshall Health welcomes neurosurgeon, bariatric surgeon



Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Marshall Health and Cabell Huntington Hospital welcomed Sajeel R. Khan, M.D. (left), and Semeret Munie, M.D., to their surgical team of providers.

Khan, a neurosurgeon, has been named assistant professor in the department of neurosurgery at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine. He specializes in back and neck care, particularly

complex adult and adolescent spinal deformities and scoliosis. He is board-eligible and is a member of the American Association of Neurosurgeons.

He completed his medical training at King Edward Medical University in Lahore, Pakistan, followed by a neurosurgery residency at the University of Illinois College of Medicine at Chicago. He recently finished an adult and adolescent spinal deformity fellowship at the University of Pennsylvania Shriners Hospital in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Khan is accepting new patients at Marshall Neuroscience, an outpatient department of Cabell Huntington Hospital, located in the Marshall University Medical Center at 1600 Medical Center Drive in Huntington and Marshall Health – Teays Valley located at 300 Corporate Center Drive in Scott Depot. For appointments or referrals, please call 304-691-1787 for Huntington or 304-691-6910 for Teays Valley.

Munie, a general surgeon specializing in bariatric and minimally invasive surgery, has also been named assistant professor in the department of surgery at the school of medicine. She is proficient in performing comprehensive weight loss surgery to patients with severe obesity using a minimally invasive approach. She is also trained in minimally invasive anti-reflux and foregut surgery as well as the repair of simple and complex abdominal wall hernias. She is certified by the American Board of Surgery in both general surgery and surgical critical care.

She earned her medical degree from the Larner College of Medicine at the University of Vermont in Burlington, Vermont, followed by a general surgery residency as well as surgical critical care fellowship at the Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit, Michigan. She then completed a bariatric and minimally invasive surgery fellowship at the Medical College of Wisconsin in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Munie is accepting new patients at Marshall Surgery, an outpatient department of Cabell Huntington Hospital, located in the Marshall University Medical Center at 1600 Medical Center Drive in Huntington. For appointments or referrals, please call 304-691-1200.



Alumni help Marshall's medical school move toward scholarship goals

About 17% of alumni from the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine give back to the school on an annual basis. Much of this support goes toward the school's ongoing scholarship campaign to reduce medical student loan debt.

Four recently created scholarships established by medical school alumni support the school's ongoing scholarship campaign to reduce medical student loan debt, and each are making a difference for their alma mater by supporting future graduates.



Kathryne J. Blair, M.D., a Huntington native, is a 2013 graduate from Marshall's School of Medicine, where she also completed her general surgery residency. Now a board-certified general surgeon in London, Kentucky, Blair established a renewable scholarship for first-year medical students, with first preference to a resident of West Virginia. Blair says she hopes the scholarship will support women in medicine.



Class of 2004 graduates **Drs. Glenn M. and Jennifer A. Brammer** established an endowed scholarship for first-year medical students who are first-generation college and medical students from West Virginia, with first preference given to Logan County, West Virginia, residents. Glenn Brammer is a native of West Logan. He completed an internal residency at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, followed by cardiology and clinical cardiac electrophysiology fellowships at Wake Forest University.

He is a board-certified cardiologist and electrophysiologist with August Health Cardiology in Fishersville, Virginia. Jennifer Brammer is from Prosperity, West Virginia, and completed her family medicine residency at the University of Virginia.



Bariatric surgeon **Elizabeth A. “Betsy” Dovec, M.D.**, from the Class of 2007, and her husband, P. Aaron Wik, established an expendable scholarship to empower women choosing a career in surgery, a predominantly male field. The one-time scholarship award is designated for a medical student who has matched into a surgery residency, with first preference given to general surgery and second preference to a surgical specialty.

“The day I was accepted into Marshall’s School of Medicine was one of the proudest days of my life – the definition of life goals,” Dovec said. “I will forever be indebted to the School of Medicine for believing in me

and laying the foundation for my career. The experiences and lasting friendships have shaped my life. Everyone was sincerely invested in providing me with all the resources to become a skilled and knowledgeable physician. I received an excellent education and am exceedingly proud to be an alumna. I hope to continue to pay it forward and impact future physicians, too.”



James F. O’Neal, M.D., and his wife, Dr. Emily C. De Los Reyes, also established an endowed scholarship for first-year medical students, with first preference given to a resident of Raleigh County, West Virginia, second preference to a resident of Kanawha County, West Virginia and third preference to a resident of Franklin County, Ohio. O’Neal, a native of Raleigh County, West Virginia, graduated from the Marshall School of Medicine in 1998, followed by an internal medicine residency at

Charleston Area Medical Center. He serves as associate program director and director of operations/process improvement in the department of internal medicine at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus, Ohio. De Los Reyes is a professor of child neurology at The Ohio State University and serves as director of Batten’s Disease Center of Excellence at Nationwide Children’s Hospital in Columbus. Their son, Matthew, is a member of the Class of 2023.

“The Marshall University School of Medicine was paramount in educating me so I could fulfill my lifelong dream of becoming a physician,” O’Neal said. “We are supporting the School of Medicine to continue this endeavor for future medical students.”

For more information, or to make a gift to the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, please contact [Linda Holmes](mailto:holmes@marshall.edu), director of development and alumni affairs, by phone at 304-691-1711 or by e-mail at holmes@marshall.edu or visit <http://jcesom.marshall.edu/alumni>.

ONeal-DeLosReyesFamily: Drs. James O’Neal and Emily C. De Los Reyes with their son, Matthew, during his white coat ceremony.

BrammerFamily: Drs. Glenn and Jennifer Brammer with their four sons.

Marshall alumna wins National Health Service Corps scholarship



Megan Thompson, a 2019 Marshall alumna, has been awarded a National Health Service Corps (NHSC) scholarship. The scholarship will fund four years of her osteopathic physician training by providing funding for tuition, fees and a monthly support stipend.

Thompson is currently studying in the DeBusk College of Osteopathic Medicine at Lincoln Memorial University in Harrogate, Tennessee.

While at Marshall, Thompson was a member of the Society of Yeager Scholars in addition to being a member of the Honors College. Thompson was largely invested in research and service during her time at Marshall, and made presentations at several conferences in her field in addition to serving as president of the Rotaract Club and Marshall's women's rugby team. She graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor's degree in biological sciences in May 2019.

The National Health Service Corps originated in the 1970s to support primary health care providers planning to work in underserved areas.

"In the National Health Service Corps, in addition to providing solid medical care, I plan to educate my patients, advocate for them, and invest in their community to provide holistic care," Thompson said. "I acknowledge as only one physician I have limits, but by advocating for my patients at a local, state, and perhaps national, level, I can enact lasting change in the health care landscape of my community."

After completing their medical school training, NHSC participants agree to serve a minimum of two years in high-need areas providing health services. Eligible disciplines include physicians, dentists, nurse practitioners, nurse-midwives, and physician assistants. This year, around 155 students nationwide were selected for the program. For more information on the National Health Service Corps, visit <https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/> or contact Mallory Carpenter at Marshall's Office of National Scholarships by e-mail at Mallory.carpenter@marshall.edu.

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